

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<i>In re</i> Application of:	§	BEFORE THE EXAMINER:
Richard H. Schlosberg <i>et al.</i>	§	Karl J. Puttlitz
Serial No.: 10/535,531	§	Group Art Unit No.: 1621
Filed: June 2, 2006	§	Attorney Docket No.: 2002M179
For: " <i>Hydrogenation of Benzene Polycarboxylic Acids or Derivatives Thereof</i> "	§	Confirmation No.: 1619
Customer No.: 23455	§	Date: February 19, 2009

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of December 19, 2008, Applicant's respectfully request entry and consideration of the amendments and remarks below.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Support for the Amendments** begin on page 11 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.